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or has planned

told, God's ~~servant~~ plan is His great servant, His great leader from away in advance.

But maybe the repeated mention ~~xxx~~ of the _____ here is a little bit out of the

ordinary. It fits with something we learn later about the servant of the Lord.

Up to the present point by itself it would tell nothing, but it's an interesting

thing. But then he says, "he hath made my mouth like a sharp sword in the shadow

of his hand hath he hid me, the Lord hath protected me, and the Lord hath made

the servant like a polished shaft, one adapted to accomplish the purpose for

which he hath put in there, and says, Thou art My Servant, Oh Israel, in whom I

will be glorified, but then I said, now, who is the servant? Is he the whole

nation? that ~~we~~ now we speak? Israel the servant? Is ~~it~~ ^{is} the servant who speaks

looking back at the past situation, and trying to bring out the fact again that

it does not look possible that the servant would be able to do the work, because

they are in exile, they are in bondage, because of their sin. Then ~~xxxxxxx~~ shall

I add, I have laboured in vain, I have spent my strength for nought, and in vain: and

yet if God is going to do it, yet surely my judgment is with the Lord, and my work

with God. Up to this present/^{point} I can't see ~~how~~ how the ~~servant's work could ever~~ ~~servant's work could ever~~

~~work~~ be accomplished, and yet, God has promised ^{and} ~~that~~ the judgment is with the

Lord. _____ trust in God, that he will be able to accomplish the work. So,

the Lord goes on to say, he will, now ~~xxxxxxx~~ says the Lord that formed me from

the womb to be his servant, again a reference to the relation to the mother which

is rather strange if _____ out of the whole nation, but ~~it would~~ which certainly

suggest that it may be one out of the nation who is the servant representing the

nation doing the work which the nation must do, but which ^{can} ~~only~~ be only begun

by one very special one who is ^{this} made into a polished shaft. Now he says the Lord

that formed me from the womb to be his servant shall bring Jacob again.

_____ first clear reference that the servant is to do anything

in relation to Israel, but we are (now) told that the servant is to bring Jacob again

to God. And when you say that, you have ^{your} a first clear intimation that the servant is

49:2

49:4